

Awards Committee

Purpose: To act as an umbrella for all awards given by the Southeastern Library Association and establish criteria and procedures for them.

Duties:

1. To review criteria and procedures needed for various SELA awards.
2. To publicize each award:
 - a. To solicit nominations for awards.
 - b. To announce recipients of awards.
3. To receive nomination for awards and refer them to the appropriate subcommittee.
4. To approve recommended recipients.
5. To notify the Executive Board and the Administrative Services Office of recommended recipients.
6. To help plan and implement presentation of awards.

History: The Awards Committee was established in 1974. During the 1980-82 biennium, various awards were placed under subcommittees, with the chairman of each being designated a member of the overall Awards Committee. Thus, the chairmen of the Rothrock, Outstanding Southeastern Author, etc. are members of the Awards Committee. All individual chairmen and members are appointed by the President with the approval of the Executive Board.